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For: ✓ MAGNETIC RECORDING MEDIUM AND
MANUFACTURING METHOD THEREOF

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

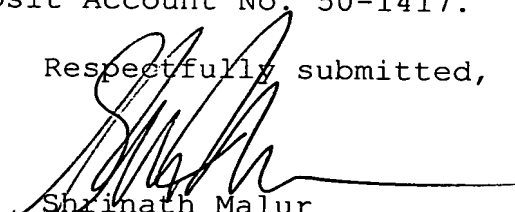
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Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated July 11, 2003, Applicants elect Group I, claims 1-4, drawn to a magnetic recording medium, without traverse.

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